GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4218
ANSWERED ON:21.08.2001
SHORTAGE OF FERTILIZERS IN BIHAR
RAJO SINGH

Will the Minister of CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is shortage of fertilizers in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise;

(c) the total quantity of urea likely to be supplied to Bihar during 2000-01;

(d) whether the Government of Bihar has asked for an additional quota of urea; and

(e) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CHEMICALS AND FERTILIZERS (SHRI S. B. MOOKHERJEE)

(a) No, Sir.

(b) Question does not arise.

(c) Season-wise assessed requirement and the quantity of urea supplied to the state of Bihar during 2000-01 was as under:

(Lakh tonnes)

2000-01	Assessed Requirement	Quantity supplied
Kharif	7.00	8.23
Rabi	6.20	7.78

(d) No, Sir.

(e) Question does not arise.